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Subject: 2nd generation Portable Cardiac Lab (PCL)

George I guess that you have been using this PCL software as a book and renaming it as "Cardiac Track" software

Choices:

1. Assuming that we do NOT produce an interim product for a DEMO:

2nd generation CardioTrack software:

On the other hand have always believed that if we ever got funding we would start over with Client and Server software designed around the basic research and work that both Dr. Bueh and I have worked in the original DOS based version known as the Cardiac Performance Lab (CPL). This would insure the most efficient use of the very small amount of time allocated to develop this product. This is a major change and it will require a complete rewrite to produce an efficient product that is small in size and easy to download over the net.

People Required:

With a couple of quality programmers and at least one and possible two high quality engineers to work me in my decision of the company, then I believe that we can produce this product in a timely manner.

I would have the job of Coordinating four major efforts.

1. A patient hardware interface device with four lead electrode assembly
2. Client software (User)
3. Server software (Database & intelligent reports)

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1. Working with the WED developers on specifications. Making sure everyone is on the same page using the same specifications. These specifications will be somewhat broad and will change as required. The engineers/programmers will then design things and the Visual Basic programmers will join the Client and Server products and make their client integration as well as the WED developers/programmers.

The server product would be the main complex product and would require a great deal of coordination between the visual Basic programmers and the WED programmers.

With my knowledge of the overall product and the creative input of the programmers and engineers we should end up with a very high quality product.

2. Assuming that we DO produce an interim product for a DEMO:

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I would continue to develop the PCL software and make it work and set everything like the CardiacTrak product.

If I do NOT set my company in a timely manner I will need a loan and programmer (a well, web site up a hell like this). I would want that individual to be a full time employee. We would need funding at some level if that is the case.


The attached flowchart assumes that we use the sketch product. All most all of this work would have to be repeated when we start designing the CardiacTrak product. Of course some of it could be used but not much.

I am NOT in favor of this manner of time management, I think it may help to get the product and it may have to be done.

Developing the PCL software could also backfire on us, as the device would not look or feel like the actual product. If you show a physician a "Stand Alone System" and then tell him you going to add it up he may not understand the concept. Or he may not want it.

I believe that producing a PCL demo will cause MAJOR problems but if you really think it is done then let's get a bit of funding and do it.

I need feedback on this - is this what you need for Tuesday?

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